

PATENT APPLICATION

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Jennifer K. Johnson

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant

Conklin, Darrell C. et al.

Application No.

09/186,642

Filed

November 4, 1998

For

A HUMAN 2-19 PROTEIN HOMOLOGUE, Z219C

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Examiner

Eliane Lazar-Wesley, Ph.D.

Art Unit

1642

Docket No.

97-64

Date

June 13, 2002

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

In timely response to the Final Office Action mailed December 13, 2001, within 6 months, the present amendment is accompanied by a request for a 3 month extension of time, pursuant to MPEP 710.02(e), and 37 CFR §1.7, extending the period of response from March 13, 2002 to June 13, 2002. Applicant respectfully requests consideration of the fellowing amendments and remarks. Please amend the subject application as follows:

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PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Darrell C. Conklin, Hal Blumberg, Theresa A. Deisher

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: Lazar Wesley, E.

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AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

BOX NON-FEE AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-mentioned application. The fee required to be filed with the accompanying amendment has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Covered by Previous Payments	Present Extra	Extra Rate	Fee
Total	6	-21		\$9.00	\$000.00
Independent	3	-7		\$42.00	\$000.00
1st Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim				\$140.00	\$000.00
				Total	\$000.00

Applicants claim small entity status. Please charge any required fee to ZymoGenetics, Inc., Deposit Account No. 26-0290. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Jennifer K. Johnson, J.D. Registration No. 43,696

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